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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION



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In the matter of the Application of

ARIZONA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

Purposes, to Fix Just and Reasonable Rate of

Return Thereon, to Approve Rate Schedules

Designed to Develop Such Return, and for

Approval of Purchased Power Contract.

for a Hearing to Determine the Fair Value of the

Utility Property of the Company for Ratemaking

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Docket No. E-01345A-03-047

PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE OF SOUTHWEST **ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT**

Pursuant to the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission), Southwest Energy Efficiency Project (SWEEP) hereby petitions for leave to intervene in the above-captioned docket and, in support thereof, states as follows:

1. SWEEP is a non-profit public interest organization promoting greater energy efficiency in six states in the Southwest including Arizona. SWEEP seeks to promote the development of energy efficiency programs, rate design reform, distributed generation resources

and other measures that result in the more efficient utilization of electric energy resources.

SWEEP has participated in prior Commission proceedings and has staff located in Arizona.

- 2. SWEEP has a substantial interest in this proceeding because APS's proposed rate increase and its proposed treatment of costs associated with the provision of electric energy supplies in this case can significantly influence ratepayer incentives for the efficient use of electricity resources and the overall costs to ratepayers of electric energy services.
- 3. Intervention by SWEEP will not unduly broaden the issues or delay the proceeding. SWEEP does not yet know what position it will take in this proceeding.
- 4. SWEEP requests that all pleadings, correspondence, discovery, and other documents be served on the following:

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SWEEP respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order granting its Petition for Leave to Intervene in the above-captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted this 29day of December, 2003. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 ORIGINAL and 13 COPIES of the foregoing filed this 29th day 9 of December, 2003, with: 10 **Docketing Supervisor** 11 **Docket Control** Arizona Corporation Commission 12 1200 W. Washington Phoenix, AZ 85007 13 COPIES of the foregoing 14 mailed this 29th day of December, 2003 to: 15 Christopher Kempley, Chief Counsel 16 Arizona Corporation Commission 17 1200 W. Washington Phoenix, Arizona 85007-2927 18 Jeffrey B. Guldner 19 Faraq Sanei Snell & Wilmer 20 One Arizona Center 400 E. Van Buren Street 21 Phoenix, Arizona 85004-2202 Attorneys for Arizona Public Service Company 22 23

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